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**FROM NASCAR TICKETS TO HOMEMADE DESSERTS FOR A MONTH:
DOZENS OF ITEMS TO BE AUCTIONED WITH PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT
CHILDREN OF SLAIN CORRECTIONAL OFFICER JEFFERY WROTEN**

Monday, May 8 at Hagerstown Four Points Sheraton

TOWSON, MD (May 2, 2006)---Generous citizens from all across the Hagerstown region and beyond have come forward to donate wonderful products and services for the May 8th auction to benefit the fund for the five children of Jeffery Wroten, the Maryland correctional officer who was killed at Washington County Hospital this past winter. Among the items to be auctioned:

- NASCAR tickets for Dover Downs
- Tickets to an Orioles game
- Tickets to a Frederick Keys game
- Tickets to a Hagerstown Suns game
- Fishing and hunting trips
- Signed books by Hagerstown Herald-Mail columnist and author Tim Rowland
- 3-day weekend car rental
- Gift certificate to a well-known Tri-State inn
- Housecleaning service
- Interior room painting
- Rounds of golf at great local courses
- One-year fitness club membership
- Mini-vacation getaway
- Furniture, food, lawn and garden, sporting goods, books, and video products
- Restaurant gift certificates
- Handmade clocks
- Evening sailing trip for four

...and many other items...

Tickets are \$30 and include dinner. The event begins at 6:00 p.m. at the Four Points Sheraton on Dual Highway in Hagerstown.